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FM AMEMBASSY BONN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC FLASH 9344

AMEMBASSY KUWAIT FLASH

INFO AMEMBASSY ATHENS FLASH

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TAGS: ETRN, GW, KU

SUBJECT - LUFTHANSA HIJACKING

FRG INTERIOR MINISTRY INFORMED US AT 1430 THAT HIJACKED
AIRCRAFT COULD WELL BE HEADED FOR KUWAIT. ACCORDING TO
INFORMATION AVAILABLE HERE KUWAIT AIRPORT IS CLOSED.
FRG IS PRESENTLY ATTEMPTING THROUGH DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS
TO INDUCE KUWAIT TO OPEN AIRPORT AND PERMIT AIRCRAFT TO
LAND, SINCE REPORTS FROM DAMASCUS INDICATE HIJACKERS
MIGHT BE WILLING TO RELEASE HOSTAGES AT NEXT DESTINATION.
MINISTRY STILL HAS NO FIRM INFORMATION ON FATE OF THOSE

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ABOARD AIRCRAFT.

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